IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN GOOD SAMARITAN SOCIETY, A NORTH DAKOTA CORPORATION D/B/A GOOD SAMARITAN SOCIETY-FOUR CORNERS VILLAGE.

Plaintiff,

v.

Civ. No. 17-1090 KG/JHR

DORA L. KING, AS PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE WRONGFUL DEATH ESTATE OF EARNEST WAYNE PAYNE, DECEASED,

Defendant.

ORDER OF REFERENCE

In accordance with the provisions of 28 U.S.C. §§ 636(b)(1)(B), (b)(3), and *Va. Beach Fed. Sav. & Loan Ass'n v. Wood*, 901 F.2d 849 (10th Cir. 1990), this matter is referred to Magistrate Judge Jerry H. Ritter to conduct hearings, if warranted, including evidentiary hearings, and to perform any legal analysis required to recommended to the Court an ultimate disposition of the now unopposed *Motion to Compel Arbitration and for Appointment of Arbitrator* (Doc. 2). The Magistrate Judge will submit an analysis, including findings of fact, if necessary, and recommended disposition, to the District Judge assigned to the case, with copies provided to the parties. The parties will be given the opportunity to object to the proposed findings, analysis, and disposition as described in 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1). Objections must be filed within fourteen (14) days after being served with a cop of the proposed disposition.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE